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Inventor: Ian METHLEY

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For: ENGINE WITH VARIABLE VALVE MECHANISM

ENCLOSED ARE:

- ☐ Nonpublication Request
- ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (in duplicate)
- ☒ 7 pages description, 2 page(s) claims, 1 page abstract
[Total Pages: 10]
- ☒ 2 sheet(s) drawings
- ☒ Declaration for Patent Application
- ☐ An assignment and recordation cover sheet
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement

PRIORITY CLAIM

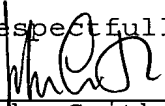
Priority of United Kingdom Patent/Design Application No. 0227417.3 filed on November 23, 2002 is hereby claimed.

- ☒ A certified copy of the priority application is enclosed.

SMALL ENTITY STATUS

The undersigned representative asserts small entity status with respect to this application.

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